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The Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated August 17, 2001, in connection with the above-identified application is acknowledged. A copy of the Notice is attached hereto.

Attached hereto is a declaration in compliance with 37 CFR §1.63. Payment of the \$130.00 surcharge set forth in 37 CFR §1.16(e) has been charged to the Credit Card Account of law firm listed below. A copy of the Credit Card Payment Form is also attached hereto.

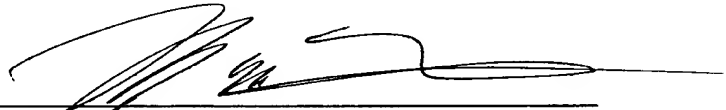
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Respectfully submitted,

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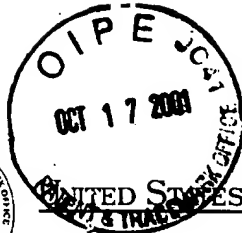


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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